Oilseeds*	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005
Others	0.3804	0.2038	0.2780
TOTAL :	2.5348	6.9428	3.9026

* Oilseeds *e.g.* whether or not broken of soyabean, shelled groundnut, linseed, rape/colza seed, sunflower seed, cotton seed, caster seed, sesame seed, mustard seed, safllower seed, etc.

(c) The percentage of this exported quantity in comparison to the gross domestic production of nine oilseeds in 2002-03, 2003-04 and 2004-05 has been estimated at 1.71,2.75 and 1.50 respectively.

(d) Yes, Sir.

SDF Loans

†3397. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:
SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a provision of Sugar Development Fund for providing financial assistance for sugar development;

(b) if so, how much amount has been given as loan in the first six months of 2003-04,2004-05 and 2005-06;

(c) the number of applications received for taking loans from the above fund during each of the above said period; and

(d) the number of applicants who were given loan out of the above applications in each of the above period and the purpose for which the loans were sanctioned?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) Sugar Development Fund (SDF) loan given in the first six months of the year 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 were Rs. 20.10 Crores,. 68.09 Crores and 26.30 crores respectively.

(c) Number of applications received for taking loans from SDF during the said period were as follows :-

2003-04	16
2004-05	11
2005-06	23

(d) Loans against the above applications were not sanctioned in the same above said period. However, subsequently, loans were sanctioned to the above applicants, which were valid and complete, as follows:-

Schemes	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
Modernization/Expansion	Nil	2	1
Cane Development	2	5	4
Bagasse based Co-Generation	2	2	1
Ethanol from Molasses	Nil	2	1
TOTAL :	4	11	7

Administrative Expenditure under POS

†3398. SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:
SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that administrative expenditure is more under the targeted Public Distribution System;

(b) if so, whether it is also a fact that to provide benefit of Re. 1 to needy poor person, Rs. 3.65 are spent;

(c) if so, the facts in this regard; and

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